

## Message Text

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TO USIA WASHDC

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: PROP

SUBJECT: BREZHNEV SPEECH -- PROPAGANDA EXPLOITATION

BREZHNEV GAVE HIS SPEECH ON FEBRUARY 24. AT OPENING OF  
BUSINESS FEB 27 I HAD THE ENGLISH RPT ENGLISH TEXT OF AN  
EDITED SUMMARY OF HIS REMARKS (FOREIGN RELATIONS AND  
DOMESTIC ECONOMIC PLANS), WITH COMPLIMENTS OF THE  
SOVIET CHARGE. THE COPY, WHICH SEEMS REPRODUCED BY PROCESS  
SIMILAR TO OUR XEROX, HAD MARKING AT TOP: "603#3#04670#00".

(NOTE: FOR # READ PLUS SIGN.)

THERE IS NOT A SINGLE TYPOGRAPHICAL ERROR. COULD WE RETURN  
THE COMPLIMENT WITH A RUSSIAN-LANGUAGE RELEASE (FOR  
BULGARIANS AS WELL AS THE SOVIET AMBASSADOR) WITHIN A  
SIMILAR TIME SPAN WHEN OUR PRESIDENT MAKES AN IMPORTANT  
PRONOUNCEMENT?

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## Message Attributes

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